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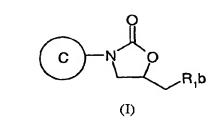
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$$R_4$$
 R_9a
 R_9b
 R_8a
 R_9b
 R_8a
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(57) Abstract: A compound of the formula (I), or a pharmaceutically-acceptable salt, or in-vivo hydrolysable ester thereof: Wherein C is selected from (D) and (E), R₂a, R₆a, and R₃a ar e independently selected from for example H, CF₃, Me and Et; R₂b and R₆b are independently selected from for example H,F, CF₃, Me and Et; R₁b is for example optionally substituted diazolyl, triazolyl or tetrazolyl; R₄ is for example an optionally substituted 5- or 6-membered heterocyclic ring system. Methods for making compounds of the formula (I), compositions containing them and their use as antibacterial agents are also described.



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